

AMUSEMENTS.

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when lashed to a boat hook, and stepped through a seat a few feet from the bow. "You have to use some means of reaching the harbor if the power plant gets constricted."

When cruising on the Potomac, where the tide is such an important factor, always remember that when sailing with the tide it will be to your advantage to keep the boat in the trough of the tide. When sailing but when "bucking" the tide keep on the flats, where the drift will be to your significant. The drift is the same in all directions and the change of direction will find that the change of set occurs an hour sooner on the flats than in the channel.

When sailing with the tide from the usual sailing directions which every power boat

When enrolling on a navigable waterway, you are always going to have to make it across the line between the two unless you are anchored, and you must be careful of the direction of the current. It's a good idea to go to the Saltwater Boat Show at the Port of Seattle every year at all times, and that's the best way to do so.

speed can't be judged only by an experienced eye. Don't race at full speed in rough water. If you're not sure how fast you are going, take it slow. At least sit off the bow and you will find that usually no drop of water comes aboard. I'm running head-on into the windward deck will blow and the propeller leave the water, slow down your engine and you will find that instead of jumping up and down, the boat goes between made to windward.

If you see a thundersquall coming, get shelter, and get it in a hurry. These summer storms come about 3 o'clock in the afternoon—usually are almost always preceded by a wind shift of hurricane force, and then, besides, a rain squall. The clouds are black, and they come with lots brass and iron, does attract

A local motor boat owner was instantly killed about two summers ago by a bolt of lightning.

"ELINOR"
CROSSING LINE AT DRUM POINT

which struck a brass whistle directly in front of the wheel.

Don't ever permit these fool clowns that adorn so many boats and which annoy the first mate to pull to separate them selves from the deck.

Have good strong samson posts put in fore and aft and you will never regret it.

For a parting shot it is recommended that the engine room cruiser read all the accounts of open boat cruising he can make fast to, and then some of the hints in this "ounce of prevention" will be taken more readily.

Next week Vice Commodore Horace C. Chamberle of the Capital Yacht Club will be in command on an extended cruise to the lower Chesapeake Bay. He will be accompanied by five other members of his club on the 35-foot cruiser Wanderer. The craft has been in the best possible condition for the trip, as uncertain weather in the past week hampered at this time of the year the sailing bay.

The commodore plans to visit Colonial Beach, Pinery Point, Lewistown and probably several places on the eastern shore of the bay. He will be glad to participate with anyone in the yacht club cruise, but, being

unable to leave town at that time, had to postpone his trip until the month of August.

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Why and Because.

Is it advisable to put an automobile gas generator on a motor boat? You probably know that these generators are worked by the vibration of a car. On the boat, however, there is little vibra-

There is no reason why the generator would not work properly on a motor boat when running and when at anchor. There is none at all. Do you think that the slight rocking of the boat would work it?

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The rocking of the generator is needed only to clean the grate, and for the short

time that a searchlight would be in use with the boat at anchor. It should always be possible with the boat under way there should always be sufficient vibration to clean the grate.

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The time of high water at Washington for the present week is as follows

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July 30.....	11:55	11:55
" 31.....	12:10	11:30
August 1.....	1:00	1:13
" 2.....	1:40	2:22
" 3.....	2:40	2:22
" 4.....	3:20	2:22

<p>tion.</p> <p>Will</p> <p>Well, mind still</p>	<p>" 5..... 4-23 5-1</p> <hr/> <h3>MANITOBA SURPRISINGLY OLD</h3> <h4>Fur Traders Kept Most Settlers Out of Western Canada.</h4> <p>From The Columbia Magazine,</p> <p>It may surprise many Americans who as late as ten years ago looked upon Manitoba as on the edge of the world to</p>
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est settled section of the North American continent west of the Mississippi river and the continent of New Mexico. It was near the present side of Winnipeg that Lord Selkirk settled his Red' river colonists in 1813.

way up in the Peace river country, 200 miles north of Edmonton, the Hudson's Bay Company has a wheat mill that has been in operation for fifty years. It handles 1,000 miles west of Winnipeg about 200,000 bushels of wheat a year. It is States Inc. The mill grinds wheat that is

As a matter of fact western Canada was thoroughly explored many years earlier than the United States. The Missouri river and the Pacific coast in the United States. But for 200 years it was exploited by the fur traders, who discovered the fur trade and the fur trade. The agricultural region. The factors of the fur companies resisted the incoming of the farmer.

The American is ubiquitous in western Canada. He is on the farm, in the towns, in the cities, in the irrigated districts, working hard and setting the pace.

for his neighbors. They have caught the spirit from him, and some of them are like the host. Even go home one better at times.

Yet they have reason to boast. Ten years ago Winnipeg had only 40,000 inhabitants, and now it is the largest city in a small town. It is now the largest single inland grain market in the world.

Saskatchewan, the middle of the three prairie provinces, is comprised in itself of a large area of approximately 250,000 square miles. Only the southern half has been touched, and less than a quarter has been developed to any extent. Still the

amounted to 3,448,671 bushels. Now it raises from 75,000,000 to 100,000,000 bushels annually. Its oat crop has grown from 1,600,000 bushels in 1900 to more than 100,000,000 bushels annually. Alberta, the province just west of Sas-

otherwise healthy; and that experiments were now being made to determine the toxic substance present in the fluid in question. Some of these experiments seem to show that the effect of sleep is limited to the brain and nerves.

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